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SUBJ: DEPSEC VISIT TO INDONESIA

REF: A. STATE 030259 B. STATE 032390 C. STATE 027959
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1. PLANE RESERVATIONS MADE FOR AMBASSADOR NEWSOM
DEPART JAKARTA MID-DAY MARCH 2 FOR BALI IN AMPLE TIME
MEET DEPSEC PLANE (REF A) AND FOR SINGLE IN BALI BEACH
HOTEL NEAR DEPSEC'S SUITE NIGHT OF MARCH 2.

2. WAIVER OF CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION FORMALITIES
REQUESTED PER PARA 8 REF C. LI ASSIST GOI WE WOULD
APPRECIATE NAMES AND PASSPORT NUMBERS OF THREE
SECURITY AGENTS IN DEPSEC'S PARTY.

3. FOLLOWING IS SUGGESTED ARRIVAL STATEMENT
(PARA 4 REF B):

A. BEGIN QUOTE: IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO
VISIT INDONESIA, IF ONLY FOR A FEW DAYS. I HAVE
ALREADY SPENT ONE DAY IN BALI, AND OBSERVED JUST A
LITTLE OF THE WEALTH OF INDONESIAN CULTURE, AND THE
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HOSPITALITY OF THE INDONESIAN PEOPLE. I AM LOOKING
FORWARD TO AN EQUALLY PLEASANT AND STIMULATING

EXPERIENCE HERE IN JAKARTA, WHERE I HOPE TO MEET AND TO EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH PRESIDENT SUHARTO AND OTHER NATIONAL LEADERS.

B. INDONESIA IS ADMIRERD IN AMERICA AND ELSEWHERE THESE DAYS FOR MANY ACCOMPLISHMENTS, INCLUDING YOUR SUCCESSFUL INITIATION OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, YOUR FORWARD-LOOKING FOREIGN POLICY, YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PEACE-KEEPING FORCES IN INDOCHINA AND THE MIDDLE EAST, AND YOUR SUSTAINED EFFORTS TO DEVELOP REGIONAL COOPERATION WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ASEAN.

C. OF COURSE AMERICANS AND INDONESIANS CANNOT EXPECT TO AGREE ON ALL ASPECTS OF EVERY INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM. BUT WE BOTH RECOGNIZE THE NECESSITY OF REACHING REASONED SOLUTIONS TO DIFFICULT PROBLEMS AND WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT THE WORKING PHILOSOPHY WILL CONTINUE TO YIELD RESULTS IN THE FUTURE AS IT HAS IN THE PAST.

D. IT IS IN THE REALIZATION OF THE COOPERATIVE SPIRIT WHICH CHARACTERIZES INDONESIAN-AMERICAN RELATIONS THAT I LOOK FORWARD TO MY DISCUSSIONS HERE IN JAKARTA. END QUOTE.

4. FOLLOWING IS SUGGESTED DEPARTURE STATEMENT:

A. BEGIN QUOTE: I AM SORRY TO BE LEAVING YOUR COUNTRY AFTER A VISIT WHICH HAS BEEN ALL TOO SHORT. IT WAS NEVERTHELESS BOTH INTERESTING AND REWARDING. I WAS ABLE TO HOLD USEFUL TALKS WITH PRESIDENT SUHARTO AND OTHERS OF YOUR LEADERS COVERING A WIDE RANGE OF FIELDS WHERE WE SHARE INTERESTS IN COMMON, AS WELL AS A COMMON DESIRE TO FORGE RATIONAL SOLUTIONS. I HOPE TO BE ABLE TO CONVEY TO MY OWN GOVERNMENT A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF INDONESIA'S ACHIEVEMENTS BOTH IN THE AREA OF DOMESTIC ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND AS A FORCE FOR CONSTRUCTIVE COOPERATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. AND I HOPE THAT I LEFT WITH YOUR LEADERS A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF OUR DESIRE TO CONTINUE
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CONTRIBUTING IN WHATEVER WAY WE CAN TO PEACE AND PROSPERITY IN ASIA AND ELSEWHERE. THANK YOU FOR A PLEASANT AND MEMORABLE VISIT. END QUOTE.

5. SOCIAL EVENTS: EVENING MARCH 3-WORKING SUPPER FOR DEPSEC, SNEIDER, DOOLIN, ROBERTS, SAMUELS, ROSEN, NETHERCUT AND COUNTRY TEAM AT RESIDENCE. MRS TOUSSAINT WILL HOST
HOST BUFFET SUPPER/SLIDE SHOWING FOR
MRS RUSH, EMBASSY LADIES AND THOSE OF DEPSEC'S PARTY

NOT ATTENDING WORKING SUPPER WHO ARE INTERESTED.

B. NOON MARCH 4-STAG LUNCH HOSTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER MALIK. FOREIGN DEPARTMENT PLANS TO INVITE DEFENSE MINISTER PANGGABEAN, EDUCATION MINISTER (AND AMBASSADOR TO US) SHARIF THAJEB, MINISTERS OF STATE WIDJOJO AND SUMARLIN, GEN HASAN HABIB, FORMER AMBASSADOR SOEDJATMOKO, GENERAL IBNU SUTOWO, FONDEPT POLITICAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR DJAJADININGRAT, AMERICAN AFFAIRS DIRECTORATE CHIEF SAMIL, AND PERHAPS OTHER FONDEPT OFFICIALS. IN VIEW OF CONFLICTING COMMITMENTS, MUTAHAR FEELS ONLY ABOUT 10 OF ABOVE WILL ATTEND.

C. EVENING MARCH 4- DINNER HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR NEWSOM. DURING MEETING WITH CHARGE FEBRUARY 19, MUTAHAR AGAIN STRESSED THAT, ACCORDING PRACTICE OF INDONESIAN PROTOCOL, THOSE INDONESIANS INVITED BY GOI TO LUNCH SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN OUR RETURN DINNER. WE THEREFORE PLANNING-SUBJECT TO DEPSEC AND AMBASSADOR NEWSOM'S APPROVAL-TO INVITE SAME LIST OF INDONESIANS WITH WIVES, AGAIN WITH EXPECTATION THAT SOME WILL BE UNABLE TO ACCEPT. BESIDES DEPSEC AND MRS RUSH, SNEIDER, DOOLIN AND AMBASSADOR NEWSOM, WE ARE LEAVING AMERICAN SIDE OF GUEST LIST OPEN, UNTIL OBTAINING DEPSEC AND AMBASSADOR NEWSOM'S APPROVAL OF ABOVE CONCEPT, AND -HOPEFULLY-SOME ESTIMATE OF LIKELY RATE OF INDONESIAN ACCEPTANCE. WHILE IT POSSIBLE UNDER PROTOCOL GUIDELINES SET UP BY FONDEPT THAT DINNER WOULD BE LARGER THAN SAMLL ONE AMBASSADOR NEWSOM WOULD PREFER, PRACTICE OF USING CONFIDENTIAL
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MANY ROUND TABLES HAS IN PAST PERMITTED CONCENTRATING SENIOR PEOPLE IN GROUPS WHERE SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION POSSIBLE.

6. MRS TOUSSAINT AND EMBASSY LADIES PLANNING FOR MRS RUSH ON MARCH FLEXIBLE TOUR OF PLACES OF CULTURAL INTEREST WITH LUNCH OUT AT INTERESTING RESTAURANT.

3?7. SCHEDULE: WHILE ALL APPOINTMENTS, EXCEPT VICE PRESIDENT, AS YET UNCONFIRMED, FOLLOWING IS MARCH 4 SCHEDULE OF CALLS WHICH PROTOCOL IS WORKING ON:

9:30-PRESIDENT SUHARTO

11:00-DEFENSE MINISTER PANGGABEAN

12:00-FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTER MALIK

(LUNCH HOSTED BY MALIK)

14-30-VICE PRESIDENT

15:30-MINISTER WIDJOJO

NOTE: EMBASSY WILL ATTEMPT TO SET UP MEETING WITH
IBNU SUTOWO WHEN ABOVE SCHEDULE IS FIRM.

8. COPIES OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE DAILY AND USIS
WIRELESS FILE WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERY MORNING IN
JAKARTA (REFD). ONE UPI TICKER CAN BE OBTAINED
GRATIS. AP TICKER IS AVAILABLE IN FIVE COPIES
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THESE UNLESS ASKED
TO DO SO.
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